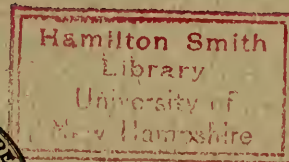


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**ANNUAL REPORTS**  
**OF THE**  
**TOWN OF SHARON**  
**NEW HAMPSHIRE**

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**FOR THE**  
**FISCAL YEAR ENDING JANUARY 31,**  
**1937**




**ANNUAL REPORTS**  
**of the Town Officers**  
**of**  
**SHARON, N. H.**

*For the year ending*

*January 30*

**1937**

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## TOWN OFFICERS FOR 1936-1937

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Moderator: Rosilda S. Wilson.

Town Clerk: Lenna W. Perry.

Town Treasurer: Ellen A. Wilson.

Selectmen:

Lenna W. Perry, term expires 1937.

Louis J. Borey, term expires 1938.

Victor E. Hellgren, term expires 1939.

Collector of Taxes: Harold A. Wilson.

Supervisors of Checklists: Harold A. Wilson, Ellen A. Wilson, Edith Wilson.

Forest Fire Warden: Harold A. Wilson.

Highway Agent: Harold A. Wilson.

Library Trustees:

Lester F. Ellsworth, term expires 1937.

Lenna W. Perry, term expires 1938.

Victor E. Hellgren, term expires 1939.

Trustees of Trust Funds:

Harold A. Wilson, term expires 1937.

Victor E. Hellgren, term expires 1938.

Lenna W. Perry, term expires 1939.

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## School Officers

Moderator: James W. Cuddihee.

School Board:

Harold A. Wilson, term expires 1937.

James W. Cuddihee, term expires 1938.

Rosilda S. Wilson, term expires 1939.

Clerk: Rosilda S. Wilson.

Treasurer, Ellen A. Wilson.

### **Inventory of the Town of Sharon April 1, 1936**

Lands and Buildings		\$168,375.00
Electric Plants		150.00
Horses	8	420.00
Cows	18	1,075.00
Other Neat Stock	3	150.00
Fowls	300	250.00
Wood, Lumber, etc.		535.00
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		\$170,955.00
Amount exempted to soldiers		\$1,000.00

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### **Amount of Taxes and Rates**

Total town and school appropriations		\$5,577.35
Less Estimated Revenue and Credits:		
Savings Bank Tax		\$20.47
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees		32.54
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		\$53.01
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		\$5,524.34
Plus overlay		167.21
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Net amount to be raised by taxation		\$5,691.55
Poll Taxes	25	50.00
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Amount to be raised by Property Taxes		\$5,641.55
Rate of taxation on \$1,000.00 of valuation:		\$33.00

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### **Appropriations for the Year of 1936**

Town charges	\$800.00
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State Aid construction	262.50	
Town maintenance	1,350.00	
Lands and buildings	100.00	
Cemeteries	50.00	
State Tax	416.00	
County Tax	834.85	
School Tax	1,764.00	
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		\$5,577.35

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### Assets and Liabilities January 30, 1937

#### Assets

Bounties	\$9.20	
Uncollected taxes, levy 1936	422.42	
Due from State:		
Joint highway construction accounts, unexpended balance in state		
treasury	65.56	
In hands of treasurer	1,328.88	
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		\$1,826.06

#### LIABILITIES

Orders outstanding Jan. 30, 1937	\$506.30
Due Sharon School District, school tax	284.00
Due Sharon School District, dog tax	34.35
State and Town Joint highway construction accounts:	
Unexpended balance in state	
treasury	65.56

Unexpended balance in town treasury	17.21	
	<hr/>	\$907.42

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### Town Clerk's Report

#### Received:

Licenses of dogs	\$14.00	
License of 1 female dog	5.00	
Breeder's license, part payment 1935	8.00	
Breeder's license, part payment 1936	8.95	
Automobile permit fees for 1936	72.25	
Automobile permit fees for 1937	7.89	
	<hr/>	\$116.09

#### Paid:

To Town Treasurer, Ellen A. Wilson:

Dog tax for 1935.	\$8.00
Dog tax for 1936	26.35
Automobile permit fees for 1936	72.25
Automobile permit fees for 1937	7.89

To Town Clerk, Lenna W. Perry:

Fees for 8 dog licenses	1.60
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\$116.09

LENNA W. PERRY,  
Town Clerk.

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### Tax Collector's Report

#### Taxes for collection for 1934:

Poll taxes	\$4.00	
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Collected	\$2.00	
Abated by Selectmen	2.00	
	<hr/>	\$4.00

Taxes for collection for 1935:

Poll taxes	\$12.00
Property taxes	458.29

Collected	\$470.29
Interest collected:	\$26.40

Taxes for collection for 1936:

Poll taxes	\$50.00
Property taxes	5,641.55
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	\$5,691.55

Collected:

Poll taxes	\$32.00
Property taxes	5,223.93
Property taxes abated by Selectmen	13.20
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	\$5,269.13

Uncollected:

Poll taxes	\$18.00
Property taxes	404.42
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	\$422.42

\$5,691.55

Interest collected	\$ .67
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HAROLD A. WILSON,  
Tax Collector.

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**Treasurer's Report**

Overdrawn January 31, 1936	\$361.38
Balance January 31, 1937	822.58

Paid:		
Selectmen's orders	7,982.14	
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		\$9,166.10
Received:		
Selectmen	3,034.30	
Tax Collector	6,017.31	
Town Clerk	114.49	
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		\$9,166.10
	ELLEN A. WILSON,	
	Treasurer.	

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## SELECTMEN'S REPORT JANUARY 30, 1937

### Summary of Receipts

Current revenue from local taxes:

Current year	\$5,255.93
Previous year	458.49
Year of 1934	2.00

Interest collected:

Current year	0.67
Previous year	26.40
Taxes bought by town redeemed	256.99
Interest	16.83

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\$6,017.31

From State of New Hampshire:

Bounties 1935	\$9.80
Town Road Flood Reimbursement	
and WPA	994.89
Savings Bank Tax	22.54
Abatement State Tax	24.85

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\$1,052.08

Receipts from sources other than taxes:	
First National Bank of Peterborough,	
N. H., temporary loans	\$1,500.00
Town Clerk, Lenna W. Perry:	
Dog taxes	34.35
Automobile permit fees for 1936	72.25
Automobile permit fees for 1937	7.89
Selectmen, schoolhouse windows	4.00
Hillsborough County, McNulty case	1.92
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co., trimming lines	111.30
Sharon School Board, temporary	
loan	365.00
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	\$2,096.71
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	\$9,166.10

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## SUMMARY OF PAYMENTS

### Current Maintenance of General Government

Detail	
1. Salaries and expenses of town	
officers	\$659.05
2. Bounties	9.20
3. Town maintenance, highways,	
flood, WPA	2,044.20
4. Cemeteries	14.40
5. Repairing Brick Schoolhouse	130.54
6. Telephone lines	111.30
7. State Aid construction	245.29
8. School District	1,613.20
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	\$4,827.18

Interest Paid: Temporary loans	39.11
Indebtedness:	
Temporary loans	\$1,865.00
State taxes	416.00
County taxes	834.85
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	\$3,115.85
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	\$7,982.14
Overdrawn January 31, 1936	361.38
Balance January 30, 1937	822.58
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	\$9,166.10

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## DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

### Detail 1. Salaries and Expenses of Town Officers

Appropriation \$800.00

#### Paid: Salaries:

Harold A. Wilson, tax collector	\$142.70
Lenna Wilson Perry, selectman	78.46
Victor E. Hellgren, selectman	41.00
Louis J. Borey, selectman	16.00
Lenna W. Perry, town clerk	50.00
Ellen A. Wilson, treasurer	50.00
Bessie G. Ellsworth, library	6.75
Rosilda S. Wilson, moderator	12.00
Ellen A. Wilson, supervisor	30.00
Harold A. Wilson, supervisor	30.00

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\$384.91

#### Expenses:

James P. Melzer, printing	\$25.50
Sears, Roebuck & Co., envelopes etc.	3.26

Donat Corriveau, transfer of titles	0.66	
Victor E. Hellgren, selectman expense	2.50	
Bessie G. Ellsworth, library, etc.	8.00	
Henry Beauvais, expense incident to library	11.00	
Lenna W. Perry, selectman's and town clerk's expenses	27.99	
H. A. Wilson, water holes	11.12	
D. A. Eaves, wire for water holes	9.65	
Everett W. Webster, insurance and bonds	33.00	
E. C. Eastman, supplies	19.04	
H. A. Wilson, assistance to selectmen	3.00	
Peterborough Fire Dept., fire at Curtis Place	45.50	
First National Stores, Inc., McNulty case	1.92	
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		\$202.14
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		\$659.05
Balance of appropriation		\$140.95

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## Detail 2. Bounties

Lenna W. Perry	\$3.20	
Lester F. Ellsworth	2.20	
Harold A. Wilson	1.20	
Victor E. Hellgren	2.60	
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		\$9.20

Detail 3.      Town Maintenance--Highways

Appropriations: Town	\$1,350.00
State of N. H.: Flood reimbursement	994.89

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\$2,344.89

Paid:

State of New Hampshire	\$238.15
Merrimack Farmers Exchange	3.43
Harold A. Wilson, agent	1,802.62
Overdrawn January 31, 1936	88.09

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\$2,132.29

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Balance of appropriation	\$212.60
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Detail 4.      Cemeteries

Appropriation	\$50.00
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Paid:

James E. Cuddihee, labor	\$7.20
William Cuddihee, labor	7.20

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\$14.40

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Balance of appropriation	\$35.60
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Detail 5.      Repairing Brick Schoolhouse

Appropriation	\$100.00
Balance of 1935 appropriation	79.87

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\$179.87

Paid:	
James W. Cuddihee, labor	\$2.40
James E. Cuddihee, labor	1.00
William Cuddihee, labor	1.00
Frank A. Tuttle, labor and material	89.16
Louis J. Borey, labor	9.20
Ellen A. Wilson, chair	1.50
Harold A. Wilson, labor and use of truck	18.78
Lenna W. Perry, labor and supplies	7.50
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	\$130.54
Balance of appropriation	<hr/> \$49.33

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#### Detail 6. Telephone Lines

Received from N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.	\$111.30
Paid:	
Harold A. Wilson, for trimming lines	\$111.30

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#### Detail 7. State Aid Construction

Appropriation	\$262.50
Paid:	
State of New Hampshire	245.29
Balance of appropriation	<hr/> \$17.21

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#### Detail 8. School District

Appropriation	\$1,764.00
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Paid:	
Ellen A. Wilson, treasurer,	
balance of 1935 tax	\$94.00
Ellen A. Wilson, school treasurer,	
dog tax 1935	39.20
Ellen A. Wilson, school treasurer,	
1936 tax	1,480.00
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	\$1,613.20
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Due Sharon School District 1936 tax	\$284.00

Respectfully submitted,

LENNA WILSON PERRY,  
LOUIS J. BOREY,  
VICTOR E. HELLGREN,

Selectmen of Sharon.

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### Highway Agent's Report

Received from Selectmen	\$1,802.62
Paid: Snow account:	
H. A. Wilson, agent	\$44.17
H. A. Wilson's trucks	74.66
V. E. Hellgren, labor	16.40
Henry Beauvais, labor	0.80
Louis J. Borey, labor	34.60
Chester Hurd, labor	11.00
Frank McConnell, labor	5.20
Robert J. Smith, labor	3.20
Farm Service Stores	3.50
Merrimack Farmers' Exchange	7.88
Annett Box Company	6.50



S. G. White's Sons, tractor	1.75
Town of Peterborough, plowing	9.00
Octave Bernier, plowing	5.00
Willis' Garage	2.60
H. A. Wilson, gas and oil	16.54
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	\$242.80

Paid: Maintenance:

H. A. Wilson, agent	\$238.92
H. A. Wilson's trucks	644.06
V. E. Hellgren, labor	111.60
Henry Beauvais, labor	0.40
Louis J. Borey, labor	110.40
Peterborough Lumber Company	4.50
Robert J. Smith, labor	14.00
James W. Cuddihee, labor	37.20
Elam Waltiers, labor	15.60
L. F. Ellsworth, labor	2.80
Oren LeMay, labor	10.00
Chester Hurd, labor	3.60
H. A. Wilson's team	3.90
Derby Stores	10.30
Annett Box Co., plank	8.45
Dynamite and caps	14.00
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	\$1,229.73

Paid: WPA account:

H. A. Wilson, agent	\$111.00
H. A. Wilson's trucks	47.00
V. E. Hellgren, labor	7.50
Farm Service Stores	6.40
Derby Stores	4.10

Peterborough Lumber Company, lumber	83.20	
Annett Box Company, lumber	70.89	
	<hr/>	\$330.09
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		\$1,802.62
Appropriation overdraw 1935 account	88.09	
Bills paid direct by selectmen:	241.58	
	<hr/>	\$2,132.29
Balance of appropriation Jan. 30, 1937	\$212.60	

HAROLD A. WILSON,

Highway Agent.

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### List of Tools in Hands of Highway Agent

January 30, 1937

- 1 Cleveland tractor and snow plow
- 1 road machine
- 1 two-horse grader
- 1 Two-horse steel drag
- 2 snow plows for use on truck
- Small tools

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### AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE

Audited by Harold G. Fowler, municipal accountant

February 16, 1937

State Tax Commission

**TRUST FUNDS OF THE TOWN OF SHARON  
ON JANUARY 30, 1937**

	Yrs.Int.	Exp.	Bal.
John B. Shedd fund (cemetery)	\$3.92	None	\$15.30
Bacon Cemetery fund	5.17	None	11.01
Wirling Gregg fund (cemetery)	2.98	None	21.40

VICTOR E. HELLGREN,  
LENNA W. PERRY,  
HAROLD A. WILSON,  
Trustees of Trust Funds.

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**ANNUAL REPORT OF DISTRICT TREASURER**

Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1936

Cash on hand June 30, 1935	\$153.36
Received from Selectmen:	
Appropriations for current	
year	\$1,680.00
Balance of previous	
appropriation	94.00
Dog tax	39.20
Received from State Treasurer:	
State Aid	173.72
Received from all other sources:	
Temporary loan to Town	
of Sharon	365.00
	\$2,351.92
Total amount available for fiscal year	\$2,505.28
Less School Board orders paid	\$2,330.35
	\$174.93
Balance on hand as of June 30, 1936	\$174.93

ELLEN A. WILSON,  
District Treasurer.

July 15, 1936

### **Detailed Statement of Receipts**

Oct. 4, 1935, selectmen, school tax	\$200.00
Dec. 5, 1935, selectmen, school tax	1,000.00
Dec. 5, 1935, State of New Hampshire, State Aid	118.70
May 18, 1936, selectmen, dog tax 1935	39.20
May 18, 1936, selectmen, school tax	480.00
May 18, 1936, selectmen, school tax	94.00
May 18, 1936, selectmen, school tax	365.00
June 6, 1936, State of New Hampshire, State Aid	55.02
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Total receipts during year	\$2,351.92

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### **REPORT OF SCHOOL DISTRICT**

**July 1, 1935 to June 30, 1936**

#### **Receipts**

State and Federal Aid	
Equalization fund for elemen- tary schools	\$173.72
Income from local taxation (raised by Selectmen)	1,200.00
Salaries of district officers	62.00
Payment per capita tax	32.00
Special appropriations	480.00
Temporary loan to town	365.00
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	\$2,312.72
Dog licenses (from Selectmen)	39.20
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Total receipts from all sources	\$2,351.92
Cash on hand, June 30, 1935	153.36
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	\$2,505.28

Payments	
Salaries of district officers	\$57.00
Superintendent's excess salary	28.85
Transportation of pupils	1,196.60
High school tuition	300.00
Elementary school tuition	331.00
Other special activities	14.90
Tax for state wide supervision	32.00
Insurance and other fixed charges	5.00
Temporary loan to Town of Sharon	365.00
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Total payments for all purposes	\$2,330.35
Cash on hand, June 30, 1936	174.93
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	\$2,505.28

HAROLD A. WILSON,  
JAMES W. CUDDIHEE,  
ROSILDA S. WILSON,

School Board.

LEWIS S. RECORD,  
Superintendent

July 8, 1936.

## **VITAL STATISTICS**

**Registered in the Town of Sharon, N. H.,  
For the Year Ending December 31, 1936**

### **BIRTHS**

- Dec. 7. Peterborough, N. H., Charles Walter Guptill  
3d., son of Charles W. and Lillian M. (Allen) Guptill.

### **DEATHS**

- Brought to Sharon for Burial  
June 2. Hancock, N. H., Corabell Garrett, 7 months,  
24 days.

### **MARRIAGES**

- May 9. Keene, N. H., James Bigelow Perry, Lenna  
Gwendolen Wilson, by H. Rees Jones, Minister.

LENNA W. PERRY,

Town Clerk.





